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PELLETS FROM NON-FREE-FLOWING UO2 POWDER

## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action (Paper No. 3) mailed June 4, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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